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Chief, New Jersey Superfund Branch
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United States Environmental Protection Agency
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Attention: Cornell-Dubilier Electronics Site Attorney

Re: Cornell-Dubilier Electronics Site - Administrative Order on Consent for Removal Action, Index No. II-CERCLA-99-2006
Progress Report No. 14

#### Dear Sirs:

As specified in Paragraph 50 of the above-referenced Administrative Order, on behalf of Respondents Cornell Dubilier Electronics, Inc. (CDE) and Dana Corporation (Dana), ENVIRON Corporation (ENVIRON) is submitting this progress report which summarizes activities conducted pursuant to this AOC between August 26 and September 8, 1999.

#### **Completed Activities**

During this period, the following activities were completed:

- Received approval for the Revised Removal Action Work Plan for Tier II Residential Properties; notice of USEPA's approval was received on August 26, 1999.
- Submitted request for access to areas adjoining the work zones for the Tier II removal action activities; this request was submitted to the Borough of South Plainfield on September 7, 1999.
- Submitted Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Plan to the Freehold Soil Conservation District on September 7, 1999.

- Completed follow-up telephone calls with property owners to resolve remaining landscape restoration questions.
- Completed characterization sampling in the commercial parking area located on Property AA and conducted additional supplemental verification sampling on Properties BB and DD. These sampling activities were conducted on September 3, 1999.

#### **Ongoing Activities**

During this period, the following activities were initiated and/or are in-progress:

- Preliminary discussions with a prospective contractor regarding removal action implementation and restoration details.
- Preparation of a request for bid to be issued to prospective remediation contractor(s).
- Follow-up discussions regarding the request for access to Tier II Property W via the Hamilton Industrial Park.
- Evaluation of excavation delineation based on draft verification data from August 3 and September 3, 1999 sampling events.

## **Two-Week Schedule of Planned Activities**

In addition to the ongoing activities, during the next two-week period (September 9 through September 22, 1999) the following activities are planned:

- Selection and contracting with a remediation contractor.
- Validation of data for samples collected on August 3 and September 3, 1999.
- Submittal of notification to USEPA and appropriate state agencies of the facilities selected for the disposal of soils and other wastes generated during the removal action implementation.

# **One-Month Schedule of Planned Field Activities**

In addition to the ongoing activities, during the next four-week period (September 9 through October 6, 1999) the following activities are planned:

• Mobilization of remediation contractor to initiate removal action activities.

Please call Mark Nielsen or me at (609) 452-9000 if you should have any questions regarding this progress report.

Sincerely,

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